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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Attorney Docket No.: 1550.36US02

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Application No.: 09/897,317

Examiner: Not Assigned

Filed: July 2, 2001

Group Art Unit: 3732

For: HAND-HELD MICROWAVE INTRA-ORAL DENTAL SYSTEM

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), an extension of time of four (4) months (from October 8, 2001 to February 8, 2002) within which to respond to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated August 8, 2001 is requested. A check in the amount of \$720.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the extension fee. Applicant is entitled to small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27. The Commissioner is authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 16-0631 any underpayments, overpayments or additionally required fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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